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Dear Sir:

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Applicant respectfully requests consideration of the items listed and requests the Examiner to return a copy of the attached Form PTO/SB/08B after being marked as being considered by the Examiner.

Respectfully submitted,

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